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From: Pelton, Jason M (DEC) [jason.pelton@dec.ny.gov]
Sent: 3/3/2021 6:42:03 PM
To: Stein, Carol [Stein.Carol@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: PCB Soil Cleanup at Bethpage Community Park

Carol:

I am leaving for a long weekend in an hour or so. Can we discuss this early next week?

Thanks
Jason




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From: Stein, Carol <Stein.Carol@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 3, 2021 11:16 AM
To: Pelton, Jason M (DEC) <jason.pelton@dec.ny.gov>
Subject: RE: PCB Soil Cleanup at Bethpage Community Park

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Thanks Jason – Would you prefer that I reach you via your office phone or cell?

Just wondering if you knew the current concentrations of PCBs in the soil at Bethpage Park? For concentrations currently exceeding 50 ppm, my reading of the reg's (and slide #14 of the powerpoint I sent yesterday), is that no EPA notification would be needed if all PCB remediation waste is disposed of at a TSCA facility, and if there was removal of all PCB remediation waste exceeding 1 ppm.

Thanks,
Carol

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From: Pelton, Jason M (DEC) <jason.pelton@dec.ny.gov>
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Cc: Donald Hesler <donald.hesler@dec.ny.gov>
Subject: RE: PCB Soil Cleanup at Bethpage Community Park

Carol:

I would be happy to talk any time.

Just so you are aware, the soil sampling that Northrop Grumman discusses in the recent community update mailing is needed to define the vertical and horizontal extent of VOC contamination outside of the current thermal treatment area. Once Northrop Grumman completes the thermal remedy to address the VOC contamination, they will begin the remediation of the metals and PCB contaminated soil using conventional excavation and off-site disposal techniques. We have not received a work plan for these soil excavation activities, but are expecting this work plan by approximately mid-2021.

Thanks, and feel free to call to discuss.

Jason




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From: Stein, Carol <Stein.Carol@epa.gov>
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Subject: Re: PCB Soil Cleanup at Bethpage Community Park

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Hi Jason – I hope all is well with you. This is in reference to the upcoming remediation of PCB-contaminated soils at the Bethpage Community Park. We had spoken briefly about this in late December. I am trying to figure out the extent to which EPA notification and approval would be required for the removal of PCB-contaminated soil. You may have already discussed this with Northrop-Grumman. FYI, slides #12 through #14 of the attached powerpoint provide fairly good flowcharts of the decision process. (The flow-chart on slide #12 includes the decision criteria regarding whether or not

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the soil is exempt from the definition of *PCB Remediation Waste*, and the flow-chart on slide #14 shows the requirements for each of the three clean-up options).

I would be interested in discussing with you at your convenience, when you have the chance.

Thanks,
Carol

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Subject: Northrop Grumman Update: Bethpage Community Park Soil Cleanup and Expanded Sampling March 2021.pdf

Good afternoon everyone,

Attached please find our latest update on the work we are conducting at the Bethpage Community Park. We will begin additional soil sampling work on March 8. The thermal system is operating very well and we expect that specific phase of the project to be complete in the next 30 days.

We will post this item to our project web site www.northropgrumman.com/bethpage and mail to all of Bethpage. If you have any questions, please reach out via email or my cell phone at 516-754-2645. Thank you.

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